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## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:		Examiner: D.E. Odland	
TAKASHI KOBAYASHI ET AL.		Examiner: D.E. Odiand	•
Application No.: 09/314,927		TC/Art Unit: 2662	
Applied:	May 20, 1999	RECEIV	ED
For:	METHOD AND APPARATUS ) FOR TRANSMITTING PACKETS : AT A TRANSFER RATE THAT ) DEPENDS ON A RESPONSE :	MAR <b>3 0</b> 20	04
		Technology Cent	er 2600
	FROM A DESTINATION (as amended)	March 25, 2004	

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop: RCE P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 8, 2003, for one month, from March 8, 2004, to April 8, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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